

EXTENSIONS OF REMARKS

A PROCLAMATION THANKING SPECIALIST ZACH MILLER FOR HIS SERVICE TO OUR COUNTRY

HON. ROBERT W. NEY

OF OHIO

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

Monday, July 25, 2005

Mr. NEY. Mr. Speaker:

Whereas, Specialist Zach Miller has served his nation in Baghdad, Iraq since January 21, 2005; and

Whereas, Specialist Zach Miller is to be commended for the honor and bravery that he displayed while serving our Nation in this time of war in Kuwait from December 27, 2004 until January 2005; and

Whereas, Specialist Zach Miller has demonstrated a commitment to meet challenges with enthusiasm, confidence, and outstanding service earning the Accommodation Medal while stationed at Anaconda Training Camp in Baghdad, Iraq.

Therefore, I join with the family, friends, and the entire 18th Congressional District of Ohio in thanking Specialist Zach Miller for his service to our country. Your service has made us proud.

IN HONOR AND RECOGNITION OF MARCIA LIEBERMAN

HON. DENNIS J. KUCINICH

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Mr. KUCINICH. Mr. Speaker, I rise today in honor and recognition of Marcia Lieberman. A pillar of the community in Stamford, CT, Marcia was best known as Senator JOSEPH LIEBERMAN's mother. She became an iconic figure in the press while campaigning for her son in 2000 and 2004. A devout Jew, she was extremely active in the Jewish community and spoke fluent Yiddish. She often made care packages for reporters which included lip balm, an apple, bagel chips and postcards to send to their mothers. She was also known for pointing out reporters from her hometown newspaper, The Stamford Advocate, at press conferences.

Marcia married a bakery truck driver named Henry Lieberman in 1940 and the couple opened a small liquor store shortly afterward. During this time they had three children together: Joseph, Rietta and Ellen. She was also active in helping out the Boy Scouts and the Girl Scouts, Riverton Library, Jewish Family Services, and Hadassah.

Marcia touched the lives of everyone she came into contact with. This was most evident at her funeral, which was attended by more than 700 family members and friends. She was remembered most for her kindness, words of wisdom, and her sense of humor. In his eulogy, Senator LIEBERMAN recounted that after her pulse shot to 190, she asked her car-

diologist what caused such palpitations. He told her, "Sometimes it's love," and she responded, "But I just met you."

Mr. Speaker and colleagues, please join me in honor and recognition of Marcia Lieberman, who came to be known as "America's Jewish grandmother" through her charm and wit on the campaign trail and in her everyday life. The infinite measure of her heart, combined with her courage, vision and integrity, defined her life. I extend my deepest condolences to her friends and family members, especially my friend, Senator JOE LIEBERMAN.

HONORING MRS. SUSIE QUINN

HON. JEB HENSARLING

OF TEXAS

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

Monday, July 25, 2005

Mr. HENSARLING. Mr. Speaker, today I would like to honor Mrs. Susie Quinn for her outstanding commitment and service to the city of Rowlett, TX. Mrs. Quinn has been Rowlett's City Secretary for the past 3 years and was recently recognized for excellence in her profession. In June, she was named Municipal Clerk of the Year by North Texas Municipal Clerk's Association.

Mrs. Quinn was the City Secretary of Eastland, TX, and later the City Secretary of Tye, TX, before joining the City of Rowlett in 2002. Mrs. Quinn is a Texas Registered Municipal Clerk, a position that requires intensive and continual training to achieve and maintain certification. She has been a member of the North Texas Municipal Clerks Association, NTMCA, for 6 years, where she currently serves as Treasurer.

Mrs. Quinn was honored at the NTMCA Bluebonnet Chapter's 10th Anniversary banquet, where city representatives Mayor Shane Johnson, Council Member Becky Sebastian, then Acting City Manager George Harris and others were on hand to commend her outstanding work.

Mrs. Quinn is a positive example of an effective public servant working to make her community and her country a better place to live. Mrs. Quinn, on behalf of all of the constituents of the Fifth Congressional District of Texas, especially those in Rowlett, I would like to extend our most sincere thanks for a job well done.

A PROCLAMATION CONGRATULATING GUNNERY SERGEANT SCOTT STUBBS FOR RECEIVING THE NAVY AND MARINE CORPS COMMENDATION MEDAL

HON. ROBERT W. NEY

OF OHIO

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

Monday, July 25, 2005

Mr. NEY. Mr. Speaker:

Whereas, Gunnery Sergeant Scott Stubbs has valiantly served in Iraq from August 2004 to February 2005 as a member of the United States Marines Wing Support Squadron 472; and

Whereas, Gunnery Sergeant Scott Stubbs is to be commended for the honor and bravery that he displayed while serving our Nation in this time of war; and

Whereas, Gunnery Sergeant Scott Stubbs has demonstrated a commitment to meet challenges with enthusiasm, confidence, and outstanding service earning the Navy and Marine Corps Commendation Medal for his outstanding actions;

Therefore, I join with the family, friends, and the entire 18th Congressional District of Ohio in congratulating Gunnery Sergeant Scott Stubbs of the United States Marine Corps for his service to our country. Your service has made us proud.

IN HONOR OF THE JULIA DE BURGOS CULTURAL ARTS CENTER'S PRESENTATION OF THE 37TH ANNUAL PUERTO RICAN PARADE AND LATINO FESTIVAL

HON. DENNIS J. KUCINICH

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IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

Monday, July 25, 2005

Mr. KUCINICH. Mr. Speaker, I rise today in honor of the Julia de Burgos Cultural Arts Center's presentation of the 37th Annual Puerto Rican Parade and Latino Festival, held on July 22, 23 and 24, 2005, in Cleveland, Ohio.

Every year, the leaders of our Puerto Rican community have organized an event that promises to highlight the magnificent history and culture of Puerto Rico. Americans of Puerto Rican heritage are an integral facet of the rich diversity of Cleveland, providing immeasurable contributions within all aspects of American society.

This wonderful presentation of will once again include treasures of Puerto Rico, including culinary offerings, arts, novelties, crafts, dance and song. Clevelanders of all ages and of every ethnic background will gather in downtown Cleveland to share in the celebration of this joyous event.

Mr. Speaker and Colleagues, please join me in honor and celebration of the leaders, members and participants of the 37th Annual Puerto Rican Parade and Latino Festival: This spirited event promises to create a bridge of celebration from Puerto Rico to Cleveland for all whom attend. The history and culture of the beloved island of Puerto Rico springs to life every summer as the sounds and sights of Puerto Rico rise in hope, joy and celebration in downtown Cleveland, enriching the diverse fabric of our entire Cleveland community.

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